

2005 Home Health Agency Patient Profile Statewide Summary for Indiana

This is the statewide summary of the patient profiles of 239 licensed home health agencies (HHAs). It was compiled from individual reports from these agencies and summarizes the number of clients by gender, age, treatment diagnosis, reimbursement and source of admission and discharges. The information shows the results for 2003 through 2005 in Indiana. There were 239 agencies licensed in December 2005.

Total Client Profile			
	2003	2004	2005
Total Home Health Agency Clients	110,023	105,271	110,088
Average Visits of Medical Treatment per Client	33.7	36.6	39.3
Total Number of Home Health Agencies Filing a Report in Calendar Year	236	236	241
Number of 92 Counties with an HHA	62	60	60
Number of HHAs that closed	13	13	15
Number of HHAs that opened.	12	14	15

Profile Based on Agency Reports Located in the State

		2003	2004	2005
By Gender	# of Females	68,693	65,624	69,422
	# of Males	40,330	39,647	40,666
By Age	# under 25 Years	14,933	11,784	11,190
	# 25-64 Years	30,158	27,387	30,439
	# over 65 Years	64,932	66,100	68,459
Admitted for	From Hospital	48,207	47,650	48,775
	From Physician	28,525	28,476	28,323
	From Other Sources	33,291	29,145	32,990
For Treatment of	Circulatory Problems	18,591	14,521	14,972
	Musculoskeletal	10,653	6,832	7,486
	Respiratory	7,327	6,213	6,330
	Endocrine	8,435	5,622	6,099
	Other Problems	65,107	72,083	75,201
Reimbursed by	Medicare	56,839	57,818	65,552
	Medicaid	10,049	10,726	10,594
	Commercial Insurance	16,199	19,083	17,166
	Self Pay or Other	26,939	18,084	29,776
Discharged	To Home Setting	69,036	65,161	65,240
	Other Care Settings	40,987	40,110	44,848

QUALITY MEASURES¹	State Average	National Average
HIGHER PERCENTAGES ARE BETTER		
Percentage of patients who get better at walking or moving around	40%	39%
Percentage of patients who get better at getting in and out of bed	54%	52%

Percentage of patients who have less pain when moving around	61%	61%
Percentage of patients who have less pain when moving around	59%	60%
Percentage of patients whose bladder control improves	47%	49%
Percentage of patients who get better at taking their medicine correctly (by mouth)	39%	40%
Percentage of patients who are short of breath less often	59%	59%
Percentage of patients who stay at home after an episode of home health care ends	67%	68%

LOWER PERCENTAGES ARE BETTER

Percentage of patients who had to be admitted to the hospital	29%	28%
Percentage of patients who need urgent, unplanned medical care	23%	21%

Note:

1. Abstracted from the CMS Home Health Compare report that was posted on March 16, 2006.

Clients By Public Health District

PUBLIC HEALTH DISTRICTS¹	LARGEST CITY IN DISTRICT	TOTAL HOME HEALTH CLIENTS	AVERAGE VISITS PER CLIENT	CLIENTS PER 10,000 RESIDENTS
One	Gary	15,540	39.4	196.5
Two	South Bend	14,214	37.3	225.7
Three	Fort Wayne	9,411	41.7	134.8
Four	Lafayette	3,401	43.5	97.3
Five	Indianapolis	26,526	36.4	166.9
Six	Muncie	10,152	40.6	139.9
Seven	Terre Haute	4,168	45.5	147.5
Eight	Bloomington	5,373	33.7	160.8
Nine	Clarksville	7,997	19.7	220.9
Ten	Evansville	8,986	43.6	216.8
State	Minus out of state ²	105,768	40.9	169..4

Note:

1. A map of Indiana Public Health Districts can be found at <http://www.in.gov/isdh/healthinfo/districts.htm>
2. Total excludes the 4,320 out-of-state residents that were served in Michigan, Illinois, and Ohio.

SOURCE: Indiana State Department of Health, Acute Care Division, July 18, 2006

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